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Annual Publication of the Senior Class

COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL

COVINGTON, VIRGINIA

FOREWORD

THE staff of PUFFS AND PATCHES *has compiled for you a daily and weekly record of 1938-39 as spent at Covington High School. To you we present the result with the hope that you will enjoy it and take pleasure in it now and forever.*

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DEDICATION

BECAUSE of the respect and appreciation which we feel for those "Saturday's children" who combine working hard for a living with enthusiasm and interest in us and in our school, we affectionately dedicate the 1939 PUFFS AND PATCHES *to*

THE FACULTY

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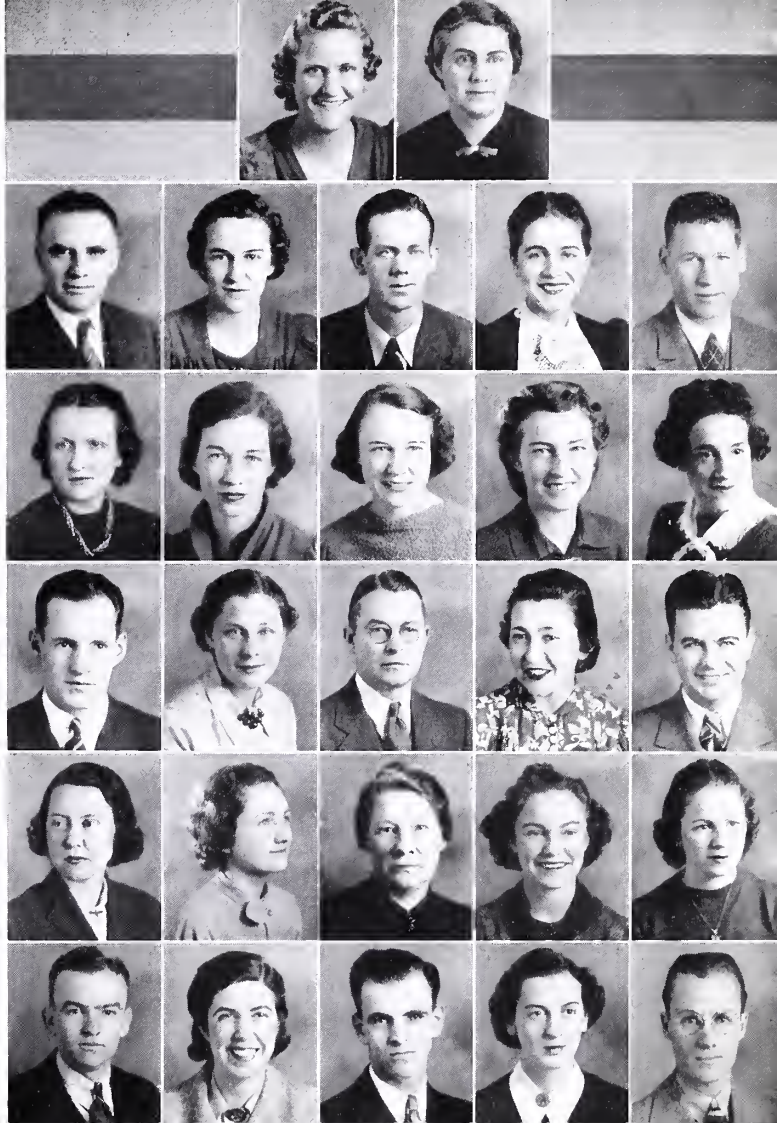

CALENDAR

★ OF SCHOOL EVENTS ★

SEPTEMBER

5—Opening Day.
22—Football Season Opens.
Marlinton - C. H. S.

OCTOBER

5—Buena Vista - C. H. S.
7—Staunton - C. H. S.
14—Greenbrier - C. H. S.
21—Christiansburg - C. H. S.
28—Central - C. H. S.

NOVEMBER

4—Valley - C. H. S.
9—Buena Vista - C. H. S.
18—Harrisonburg - C. H. S.
Pep Club Party.
24—Clifton - C. H. S.
Girls Hi-Y Dance.

DECEMBER

9—Christmas Carnival.
13—Senior Play.
16—Monogram Club Dance.
20—Boys Hi-Y Dance.
21—Induction of Beta Club Members.
Faculty Party for Seniors.
22—Christmas Holidays.

JANUARY

6—Basketball Season Opens.
Renick - C. H. S.
10—Harrisonburg - C. H. S.
14—Clifton - C. H. S.
21—S. M. A. - C. H. S.
Bouts.
23—Greenbrier - C. H. S.
25—Lexington - C. H. S.
27—Valley Hi. - C. H. S.
30—Central - C. H. S.

FEBRUARY

1—Staunton - C. H. S.
4—White Sulphur - C. H. S.
7—Renick - C. H. S.
9—Central - C. H. S. Bouts.
Lexington - C. H. S.
10—Clifton - C. H. S.
14—Staunton - C. H. S.
16-17—C. H. S. Minstrel.
18—A. M. A. - C. H. S. Bouts.
22—Central - C. H. S.
23—Miller School - C. H. S.
Bouts.

MARCH

3—Valley - C. H. S.
8—Cougarettes - Faculty.
31—C. H. S. Circus.

APRIL

7—Easter Holiday Begins.
28—Puffs and Patches Hay Ride.

MAY

19—Junior - Senior Prom.
28—Graduation Sermon.
30—Class Night.
31—Commencement.

MONDAY

"MONDAY'S CHILD IS FAIR OF FACE"

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Pete Martinelli

SENIOR CLASS

PETE MARTINELLI ..... *President*

WALTER BOERNER ..... *Vice-President*

NANCY COX ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*

MISS MAUDE MAHANEY ..... *Faculty Adviser*

MISS HELEN THOMAS ..... *Faculty Adviser*

Colors: Blue and White

Flower: Red Rose

Motto: "Non scholae sed vitae discimus"

ANDREW JACKSON ALFRED, JR.
"A. J."
Pep 1; Auditorium 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Boys' Monogram 3, 4.

MARJORIE VIRGINIA AILSTOCK
"Margie"
Manners 1, 2; Basketball 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Pep 3, 4.

CHARLES EDWARD ARRINGTON
"Charlie"
First Aid 1, 2, 3; Auditorium 1, 2; Monogram 3, 4; Science 4.

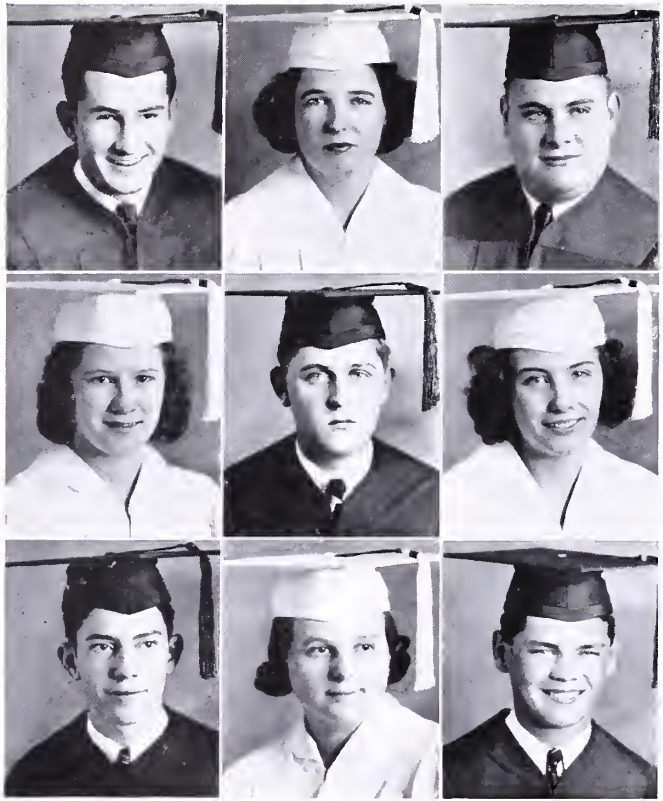
VIRGINIA LUCILLE BALLENGEE
"Bally"
Glee 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Pep 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Cheer Leader 4.

DOROTHY IRENE BARTLEY
"Dot"
Knitting 1; Dramatic 1; First Aid 1, 2; Hiking 2; Softball 3, 4; Public Speaking and Debating 3; Hobby 4.

HENRY DERRICK BARR
First Aid 1; Science 2, 3; *Announcer* Staff 2; Dramatic 3; Vice-President Pep Club 4; Cheer Leader 4; Annual Staff 4.

NELDA REID BESS
"Nel"
Library 1; Glee 2, 3; Choir 3, 4; Pep 3; Commercial 3; Infirmary Staff 4; "Spring Fever" 4.

WALTER EARL BOERNER
"Poke"
Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; First Aid 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Science 3, 4; Vice-President Senior Class 4.



FRANK BURTON BOERNER

"Burr"

Industrial Arts 1; Auditorium 2, 3; Secretary - Treasurer of Class 2; Football 3, 4; Secretary Auditorium Club 4.

BETTY HALL BLACK

"Bet"

Glee 3; PUFFS AND PATCHES Staff 4; Choir 4.

RALPH SYDNEY BRACKENS

Science 1, 2, 3, 4.

LETTIE JOSEPHINE BOSSERMAN

"Jo"

First Aid 1, 2; Pep 2, 3; Beta 3, 4; Commercial 3; Infirmary Staff 4.

RICHARD H. BROWN

"Brownie"

First Aid 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Hiking 2; Auditorium 3, 4.

ANITA BOSWELL

"Nita"

Infirmary 3; Hiking 3; Secretary - Treasurer Home Room 4; Hobby 4.

EDWARD HUNTER CARPENTER

Science 1, 2; First Aid 1, 2; Hiking 1, 2; *Announcer* Staff 3, 4.

MARGARET ANNA BURNS

Manners 1; Library 2, 3; Literary 3; Beta 3, 4; Editor PUFFS AND PATCHES 4; Hi - Y 4; Class Historian 4; Best Girl Scholar 4; Salutatorian.

EDGAR LEE CURTIS, JR.

"Jake"

Announcer Staff 1; First Aid 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Military 2, 3, 4; Monogram 4.

BILLY WADE DEACON
"Thunder Jug"
Science 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual 1, 2; Band 4.

CHRISTINE LUCILLE BYERS
"Chris"
Pep 1, 2; Hiking 3; Hobby 4.

HAROLD FIELDING DILLON
First Aid 1; Hiking 2; *Announcer* Staff 3, 4; Auditorium Club 2.

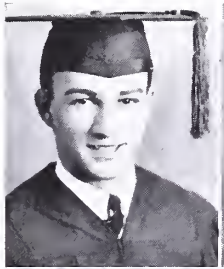
VERRA HELENA CARTER
Knitting Club 1; Manners Club 2; Library Club 3.

PAULINE CARTER
Glee Club 2, 3; Pep Club 4.

EVERETTE LEE DUNCAN
"Peck"
First Aid 1; Science 1, 2.

NANCY McCORMICK COX
"Nan"
Library 1; Choir; Glee 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Secretary-Treasurer Senior Class; Pep 4; Class Statistician; Most Original and Most Representative Student 4.

JACK HODGES
"Buddy Ebsen"
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Auditorium 1; Dramatic 2, 3; Football 3, 4; Military 4; Monogram 3, 4.



ROBERT SHELLY HOLLOMAN, Jr.

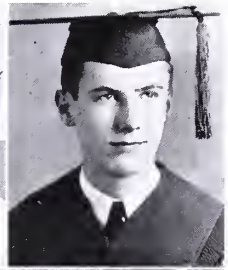
"Bob"

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; First Aid 1; Boxing 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Military 2, 3, 4; Most Popular; Best Athlete 4.

ELNORA MAE CURTIS

"Sallie"

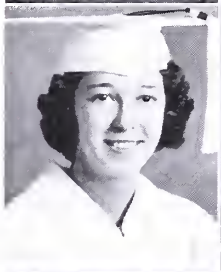
Manners 1; Pep 2; Glee 3, 4.



WILLIAM MOSBY HUDSON

"Billy"

First Aid 1; Science 2, 3; Beta 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; Cheer Leader 4; Senior Play 4; Annual Staff 4.



DOROTHY LOUISE ERGENBRIGHT

"Dot"

Manners 1; *Announcer* 1; Glee 2, 3; Commercial 2, 3.

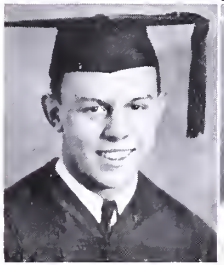
KENNETH THOMAS KEIFER

First Aid 1; Hiking 1; Military 2; *Announcer* 4; Science 3.

NANCY ELYVEN EUBANK

"Pig-Iron"

Manners 1; Glee 2; Pep 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; First Aid 3; Cheer Leader 4; Monogram 4.



ROBERT EDWARD KEYSER

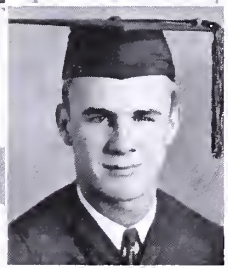
"Robber"

Announcer 1, 2; Football 1, 2, 4; Boxing 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram 2, 3, 4; Industrial Arts 3.

GERTRUDE ESTHER HANKS

"Trudy"

Manners 1; Art 2; Glee 3; Annual Staff 4; Choir 4; Occupational Science 4.



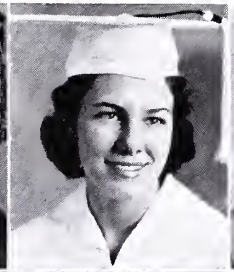
HAROLD RICHARD KEYT

"Ally"

Auditorium 1; Baseball 2; Basketball 1, 2; Dramatic 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Monogram 1, 2, 4; *Announcer* Staff 3; Military 4; Football 4.

JACK RIFFE LEITCH

Pep 1; First Aid 2; Auditorium 3; Annual Staff 4; Hi-Y 4; Class Prophet.



BETTIE THELMA HARTER

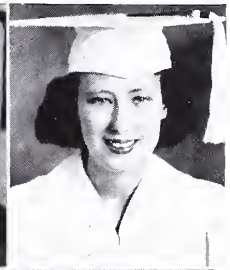
"Leggett"

Glee 1, 2; Dramatic 3; Beta 3, 4.

EDWARD FRANCIS LIBBY

"Ed"

Pep 1; Debating 2, 3; Football 2; Senior Play 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Minstrel 3, 4; *Announcer* Staff 4; Class Testator.



THELMA GERTRUDE HELMINTOLLER

Manners 1; Knitting 2; Glee 3; Pep 4.

ANNA BELLE HEPLER

"Hank"

Manners 1; Pep 2, 3, 4.

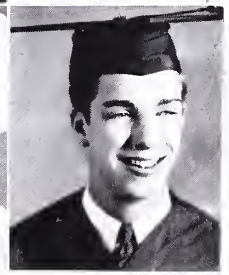
JOHN ROBERT LOCKHART

"Chick"

Airplane 1; Red Cross 1; Military 2, 3; Baseball 2; Football 3, 4; Senior Play 4.

MARY FRANCES HITE

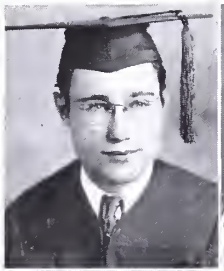
Manners 1; Library 2, 3; Literary 3; Hi-Y 3; Beta 3, 4; Annual Staff 4.



ROBERT MARSHALL LOVING, JR.

"Pete"

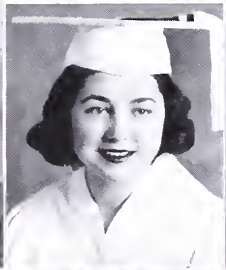
Senior Play 4; Industrial Arts 1; Band 4; Auditorium 2, 3.



MARIO MARTINELLI, JR.

"Pete"

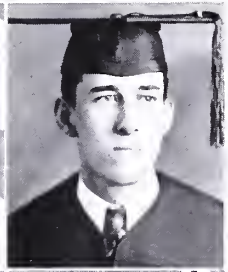
Library 1, 2; President Freshman Class 1; President Sophomore Class 2; Student Council 2; Science 2, 3; Beta 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Annual Staff 3; Senior Play 4; President Senior Class; Valedictorian; Best Scholar; Most Representative Student, 4.



MARY VIRGINIA HODGES

"Queenie"

Glee 1, 2, 3; Pep 1, 2; PUFFS AND PATCHES Staff 4; Hi-Y 4; Carnival Queen 4.



HAROLD LINWOOD MYERS

"Budd"

Dramatics 1; Hiking Club 3; First Aid 3.

JEANETTE CATHERINE HUFF

"Jennie"

Home Economics 1, 2, 3; Hobby 4; Choir 4; Library Work 4.

WILBUR R. MYERS

"Pidge"

Industrial Arts 1, 2, 3; Occupational Science 4.

HAZEL PAULINE HUMPHRIES

Manners 1, 2; Infirmary 3; Glee 4; Occupational Science 4; "Juliet" 4.

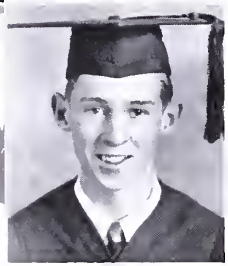
ARTHUR WILLIAM ORDEL

"Art"

Science Club 2; Military Club 3; President of Band 4.

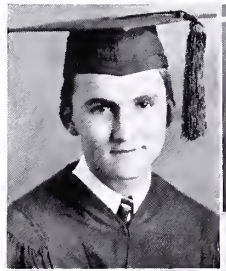
LAURA INGLES JORDAN

Knitting 1; Glee 1, 2, 3; First Aid 1, 2, 3; Pep 2, 3; Hi-Y 4; Annual Staff 4.



CHARLES ALLAN PAXTON

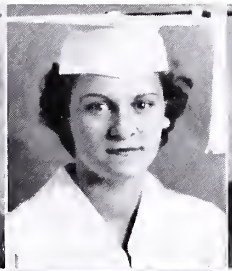
Announcer Staff 1, 2; Pep 1; First Aid 2; Military Club 2, 3.



EARL McDOWELL RAUCH

"Roach"

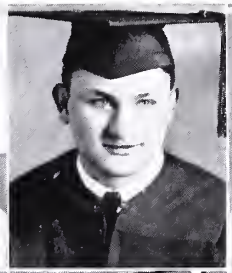
First Aid 1; Science 1; Military 2, 3; Football 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Annual Staff 4; Hi-Y 4.



EMMA JANE KARNES

"Dry Jim"

Manners 1; Glee 1, 2; Knitting 2; Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Y 3, 4; Pep 3; Annual Staff 4.



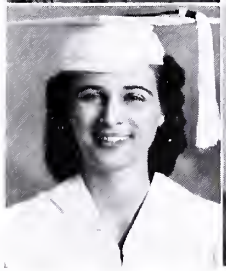
LAWRENCE AUBREY REYNOLDS

Industrial Arts 1, 2, 3, 4; Occupational Science 4; "Romeo" 4.

MARY LOUISE KNICK

"Nickie"

Knitting 1; First Aid 2, 3; Pep 4.



WANDA RUTH LOCKARD

"Woofy"

Home Economics 1, 2; Infirmary 1, 2; Glee Club 3; Pep Club 3, 4; Senior Play 4.

HENRY CORNER RHODES

"A. L."

First Aid 1, 2; Science 2, 3, 4; Auditorium 3.

ROSEMARY LOCKHART

"Ducky"

First Aid 1; Pep 1; Infirmary 2, 3, 4; Choir 4; Basketball 4.

CLYDE HENRY SAYLOR, JR.

"C. H. S."

Industrial Arts 1; Hiking 1; Military 2; Annual Staff 4; Senior Play 4.

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ANTHONY JAMES SNEAD

"Mark"

Pep 1; Science 2, 3; Diversified Occupations 4.

HILDA FRANCES LOCKRIDGE

Library 1; Glee 1, 2; Pep 2, 3; Secretary-Treasurer Junior Class 3; Basketball 2, 3; Dramatic Club 3; Hi-Y Club 3, 4; Cheer Leader 4; Monogram 4; Most Popular 4.

WARREN PAYNE TERRY

"Joe"

Dramatic 1; Minstrel 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 4; Auditorium 2, 3, 4; Monogram 4, Boxing 4.

FRANCES LEE LOVING

"Nookie"

Knitting 1, 2; Pep 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Beta 3, 4; Annual Staff 4; Choir 4.

RALPH WHITEHEAD

"Eddie"

Football, Boxing, Baseball 2, 3, 4; Military Club 3; Monogram Club 3, 4.

ALMA GENEVIEVE McCALLISTER

"Mac"

Manners 1; Pep 1, 2; Dramatic 2; Senior Play 4; Infirmary Staff 4.

HARRY LEE WILHELM

"Butch"

Auditorium 2, 3; *Announcer* Staff 2, 3; Manager of Football and Boxing 4; Monogram 4.

HELEN LUCILLE McDONALD

"Butch"

Manners 1; Knitting 2; First Aid 3; Choir 4.

ALVA LUCILLE MENEFEE

Home Economics 1, 2, 4; First Aid Club 2, 4.

KATHRYN SAUNDERS MILLS
"Kitty"
First Aid 1; Manners 2; Pep 3; Annual Staff 4.

CAROLYN GERTRUDE NICELY
"Carrol"
Manners 1; Glee 2; Pep 3.

HELEN LEE PFADT
"Fad"
First Aid 1; Manners 1; Pep 3, 4; Knitting 2; Dramatic 3; Basketball 3, 4; Girls' Hi-Y 3; Monogram 4; Annual Staff 4.

GERALINE MAE REYNS
"Gert"
Manners 1; Glee 1, 2, 3; Occupational Science 4.

NATALIE ZAUBER ROOKLIN
First Aid 1; Manners 1; Pep 2, 3, 4; Knitting 2; Dramatic 3; Basketball 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Annual Staff 4.

JUANITA EILEEN SARVER
"Vita"
Manners 1; Knitting 2, 3; Hobby 4; Pep 4

PEARLE BEIRNE SCOTT
First Aid 1; Dramatic 1; *Announcer* Staff 2, 3; Beta 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Annual Staff 3; Monogram 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; President First Aid Club 4.

LUCY ISABELLE SHAWVER
"Lou"
Manners 1; Library 2; Pep 3; Beta 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

ETHEL LOUISE SHIFLETT

Glee 1; Pep 1; *Announcer* Staff 3; Hobby 4.

KATHERINE CHRISTINE SIMPSON

"Kitty"

Dramatic 1; First Aid 1, 2; Hiking 2; Pep 3; Beta 3, 4; *Announcer* Staff 4.

JOYCELYN CLARKE SPENCER

"Joy"

Library 2; Choral 3; *Announcer* Staff 3, 4; Choir 4; Annual Staff 3.

LEOLA FRANCES SWIFT

"Tommy"

Pep 1, 2, 3, 4.

JOYCE VALENA TYREE

"Jeepie"

Dramatic 1; First Aid 2; Pep 2, 3; Beta 3; Infirmary Staff 4.

VIRGINIA MAE VICK

"Gin"

Knitting 2; First Aid 3.

MISS HELEN THOMAS

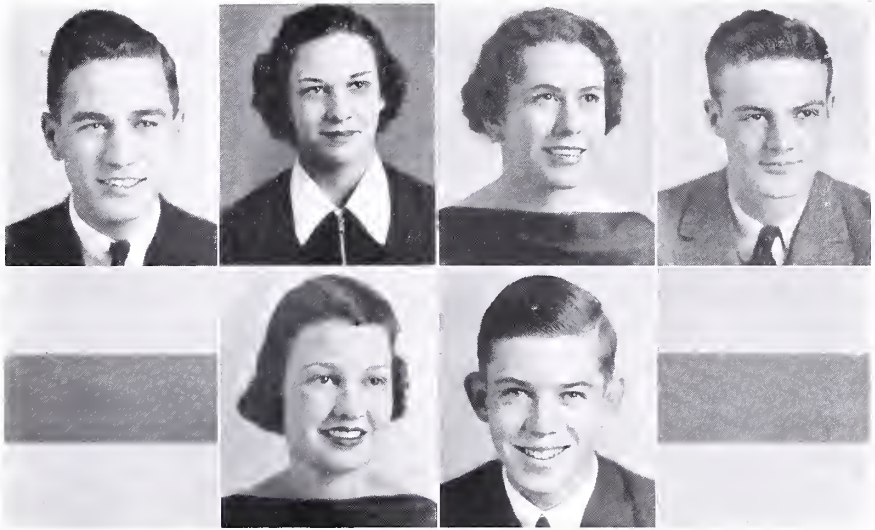
Faculty Adviser

EVELYN FAY WITT

Manners 1; Home Economics 2; Knitting 3; Choir 4.

MISS MAUDE MAHANEY

Faculty Adviser



POST GRADUATES

CECIL WILLIAM COFFMAN, '38

VIRGINIA RUTH FAWLEY, '38

HETTIE CHRISTINE FLINT, '38

JOHN STEPHEN LAWRENCE, '38

CLARA FRANCES McCORMICK, '38

MARION LEONWOOD TOPHAM, '38

ADDITIONAL SENIORS

WALTER LEONARD CARPER
Treasurer Auditorium CInb; Monogram Club; Football.

HERBERT DEARL CRAWFORD
"Monsie"
First Aid 1, 3.

JOHN WILLIAM DAVIDSON
Infirmary Staff. 1, 2, 3, 4.

HELEN ELIZABETH KING
"Sister"
Manners 1; Knitting 2; Infirmary 3.

VIRGINIA PEARL OSBURN
"Gup"
Senior Play 4; Occupational Science 4; Circus Queen 4.

THE SENIORS

I

Monday and Tuesday—days filled with grace
For students who soon shall be ending the race.
Though Seniors end first it's been a hard chase,
And Juniors are following to take next place.

II

Wednesday and Thursday bring grief and woe
For Sophomores and Freshmen who've yet far to go.
Yet they're happy and brave you well may guess,
They are proud of our school known as C. H. S.

III

Friday the fairest of all we think,
Keep up our pep—don't break a link,
For C. H. S. will be proud of your sportsmanship true
As she's been of the ones who are now getting through.

IV

Saturday speaks out the words "Don't shirk"—
Some day we must, as the faculty, work!
Face it bravely—live your life true,
Upright and honest in all that you do.

V

At last comes the sunshine, which makes us gay
As the wise who are born on the Sabbath Day.
Opportunities we leave you, there is yet work to do
So with a farewell to our classmates, we bid you adieu.

—Anita Boswell, Class Poet

TUESDAY

"TUESDAY'S CHILD IS FULL OF GRACE"

Clarence Lockridge

JUNIOR CLASS

OFFICERS

Clarence Lockridge.....*President*

Douglas Sprouse.....*Vice-President*

Maria Harris.....*Secretary-Treasurer*
First Term

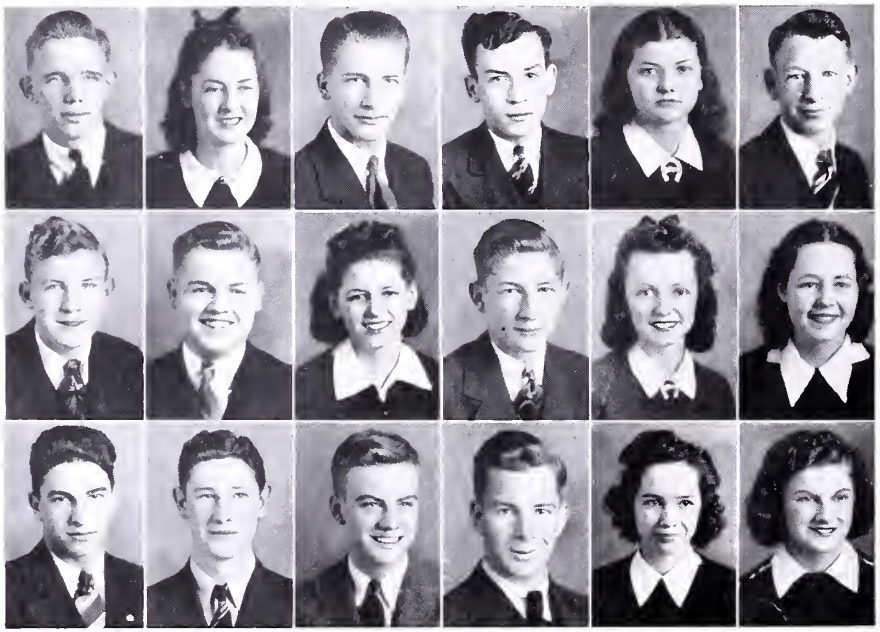
William Snead.....*Secretary-Treasurer*
Second Term

SENIOR B

Row 1: R. Barr, J. Brackens, H. Bunch, J. Burch, T. Campbell, N. Goff.

Row 2: P. Hilton, W. Humphries, M. McCaleb, J. Mauck, M. Maupin, R. Maupin.

Row 3: M. Miller, St. C. Miller, R. Ordel, R. Smith, M. Vance, I. Walton.



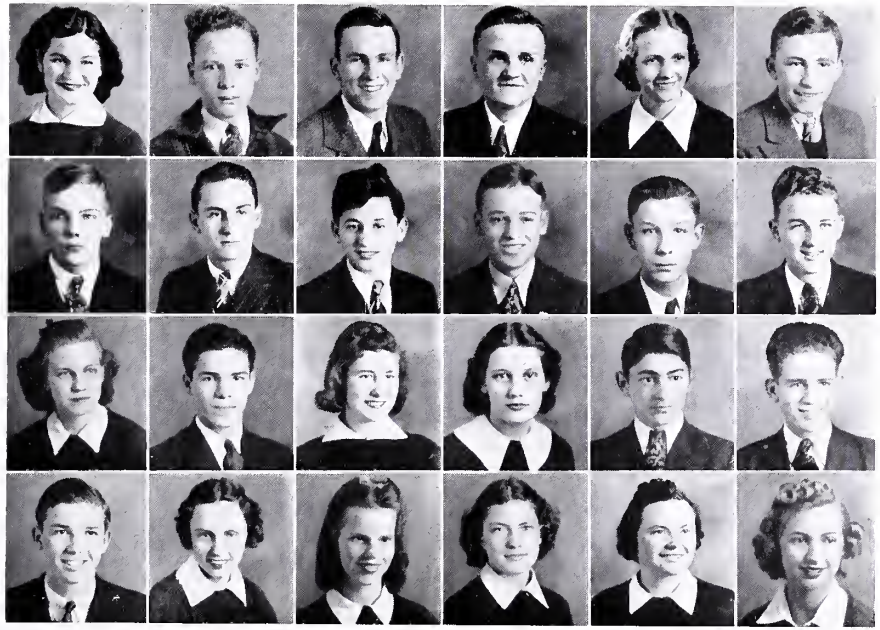
JUNIOR A

Row 1: R. Arrington, S. Bouchard, J. Burch, H. Burns, E. Burr, W. Byer.

Row 2: L. Campbell, K. Childs, N. Childs, S. Coffey, V. B. Coleman, A. Cook.

Row 3: A. Cover, W. Fitzgerald, I. Gillespie, M. Hall, P. Hanks, R. Hill.

Row 4: J. Hodges, A. Holcomb, V. Humphries, M. Jordan, L. Lively, G. Long.



JUNIOR CLASS FACULTY ADVISERS

Miss Edna Lovering

Mr. Allan Barnwell

Miss Olivia Wheeler

Mr. James Orser

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SENIOR B'S NOT IN PICTURE

F. Basham
H. Bennett
J. Dawson
A. Doss
K. Evans
L. Forbes
B. Jones
B. Lambert
V. Lowman
T. Massie
E. McDaniel
B. Miller
B. O'Neil
T. Psomadakis
C. Richard
G. Wilhelm

JUNIORS NOT IN PICTURE

H. Baker
C. Craft
M. Craft
F. Cravello
G. Eakin
J. Ealy
L. Forbes
M. Frankland
S. Ham
A. Harding
W. Harmon
M. Harris
R. Harrison
A. Hepler
V. Johnson
W. LaRue
J. Lee
C. A. Lipscomb
A. Martin
M. Meeks
N. Mefford
P. Miller
S. Oliver
J. Reardon
W. Smith
W. Snead
M. Sparks
R. Thomas
L. Turner
J. Vail
J. Watts
C. Weikle

JUNIOR A

Row 1: J. Kemper, B. Knighton, G. Linton, O. McCallister, J. McCormick, E. Miller.

Row 2: E. Mills, D. O'Rourke, M. Overholt, H. Reed, H. Revercomb, W. Rooklin.

Row 3: P. Ruble, N. Seldomridge, B. Simpson, A. Sites, M. Spradlin, D. Sprouse.

Row 4: I. Stull, M. Tucker, L. Turner, C. Watts, B. Williams, M. Williams.

JUNIOR B

Row 1: Wilkerson, Kessinger, Overholt, Hepler, Plott, Matheny, Humphries, Karnes, Brown.

Row 2: Connor, Wagner, Rapp, Spitler, Leffel, Newman, Hayslett, Sartain.

Row 3: Whitaker, Terry, Callaghan, Kincaid, Lipscomb, Lawrence, Stephenson, Dressler.

Row 4: Lipps, Arritt, Cook, Ballengee, Harrison, Byer, Obenshain.

Row 5: Ward, F. Wood, F. Woods, Topham, Hamm.

JUNIOR B'S NOT IN PICTURE

E. Drumheller

N. Harrison

J. Kelley

J. Phillips

M. Campbell

D. Downey

L. Dressler

O. Dressler

L. Landis

H. Sellers

R. Sutphin

D. Weikle

V. Vest

★ PUFFS AND PATCHES ★

F. Allison
H. Bennett
S. Brackens, Jr.
S. Coffey
V. B. Coleman
B. Fitzgerald
J. Hodges
R. Holloman
B. Hudson
B. Jones
H. Keyt
B. Lambert
J. Leitch
E. Libby
C. Lockridge
P. Martinelli
R. Martinelli
T. Massie
S. Phillips
E. Rauch
J. Reardon
H. Revercomb
N. Seldomridge
W. Snead
F. Woods

BOYS' HI-Y

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Mr. Orser Mr. Grainger

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M. Ailstock
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I. Callaghan
T. Campbell
A. Cover
N. Cox
M. E. Frankland
M. Harris
M. E. Hepler
M. F. Hite
M. V. Hodges
L. Jordan
M. Jordan
E. J. Karnes
V. Kincaid
B. Lawrence
H. Lockridge
F. Loving
M. Maupin
M. C. McCaleb
M. J. McClung
J. McCormick
H. Pfadt
P. Scott
L. B. Shawver
M. Stephenson
I. Stull
M. E. Vance
J. Wagner
C. Wilkerson

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Maria Harris ..... *Vice-President*

Mildred Jordan ..... *Secretary*

Ann Cover ..... *Treasurer*

Miss Wheeler Miss Evans
Faculty Advisers

Mrs. Murrill ..... *Adviser*

BAND

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Arthur Ordel.....*President*

Billy O'Neil.....*Vice-President*

Nancy Ingle.....*Secretary*

Mr. James Grainger.....*Director*

Motto: "Make haste slowly"

Yell: "Yeah! Band!"

MEMBERS IN HIGH SCHOOL

S. Lawrence
G. Ailstock
E. Bosserman
M. Ballengee
S. Bouchard
R. Burr
S. Coffey
N. Childs
L. Campbell
C. Cover
P. Davis
J. Fifer

A. Fortune
R. Guthrie
R. Griffith
I. Gibson
C. Hanks
R. Hill
R. Heller
D. Hudson
G. Holt
B. Kelley
J. Loving
E. Leffel

W. Lockridge
M. Miller
P. Miller
B. McAllister
R. Loving
J. C. Nicely
J. McCormick
J. Price
D. Powell
J. Pugh
E. Rohr
M. Swift

C. Sexton
W. Seager
S. Smith
P. Hanks
E. Smith
C. Thomas
W. Taylor
B. Tinsley
W. Tingler
B. Tigrett
T. Carpenter
D. Withrow

Jr. Wolfred
J. Douglas
M. Wallace
E. Henderson
H. Revercomb
H. Vest
T. Massie
D. Ailstock
W. Short
D. Murrill
B. Jennings
E. Whitaker

C. Luck
J. Rumsey
K. Evans
C. Hicks
E. Brown
S. Douglas
A. Ham
I. Johnson
H. Lipscomb
J. Mays
N. Mefford
A. Ordel

B. Ordel
S. Williams
L. Tyree
V. Kincaid
J. Watts
F. Woods
J. Work
A. Libby
B. O'Neil
C. Deacon
N. Seldomridge

THE CHOIR

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Hilda Lockridge ..... *President*

Elnora Curtis ..... *Vice-President*

Frances Loving ..... *Secretary*

Nelda Bess ..... *Treasurer*

Miss Frances Hamm
Faculty Adviser

Row 1: C. Wilkerson, H. Lockridge, M. Vance, R. Maupin, N. Eubank, G. Hanks, L. Ballengee, M. Maupin, M. Ailstock, A. Gillespie, J. Sarver, A. Holcomb, J. Tyree, E. Mills, M. McCaleb.

Row 2: D. Hill, V. Humphries, R. Lockhart, J. Huff, L. Menefee, C. Byers, F. Witt, H. Humphries, E. Leffel, J. Bosserman, B. Black, E. Curtis, N. Bess.

Row 3: I. Gibson, T. Helmintoller, J. Spencer, F. Loving, J. McCormick, R. Arrington.

NOT IN PICTURE

A. Boswell
J. Brackens
M. Burns
T. Campbell
A. Doss
D. Hinton
M. F. Hite
M. V. Hodges
L. Jordan
M. Karnes
R. Lockard
H. McDonald
H. McNeace
E. Sites
W. Walton

SCIENCE CLUB

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W. Boerner.....*Vice-President*

W. Obenshain.....*Secretary and Treasurer*

Mr. Allan Barnwell.....*Faculty Adviser*

W. Boerner	B. Deacon	W. Humphries	F. Long	K. Mathews
R. Brackens	L. Forbes	W. LaRue	R. Martinelli	S. C. Miller
W. Byers	N. Goff	G. Linton	L. Matheny	B. Simpson
F. Cravello	H. Harmon	J. Mauck	E. McDaniel	R. Smith

MILITARY CLUB

ELECTED OFFICERS

William Robinson ..... *Commander*
Jack Hodges ..... *First Lieutenant*
C. L. Bunch ..... *Second Lieutenant*

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Ralph Barr ..... *Corporal, First Squad*
Sam Brackens ..... *Corporal, Second Squad*
Glenn Plott ..... *Corporal, Third Squad*

MEMBERS

R. Anderson	S. Brackens	G. DeHart	J. McMullan	G. Rickett	N. Scott	F. Vick
N. Arritt	C. L. Bunch	B. Ford	H. Milton	P. Ruble	B. Seal	C. Whitlock
H. Barger	C. Bush	E. Gibson	G. Plott	W. Robinson	H. Smith	K. Whitlock
R. Barr	A. Cook	M. Gilbert	C. Richard	J. Scott	E. Snead	

BETA CLUB

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Row 1: J. Bosserman, L. Campbell, K. Simpson, Mr. Orser, M. Hite, B. Jones, P. Scott.
Row 2: F. Loving, J. Reardon, L. B. Shawver, P. Martinelli, M. Burns, S. Bouchard, M. Spradlin.
Row 3: M. Harris, V. B. Coleman, M. Vance, B. Hudson, N. Cox, B. Fitzgerald, B. Harter.

Pete Martinelli ..... *President*

Margaret Burns ..... *Vice-President*

Nancy Cox ..... *Secretary*

Billy Hudson ..... *Treasurer*

Mr. James Orser ..... *Faculty Adviser*

WEDNESDAY

"WEDNESDAY'S CHILD IS FULL OF WOE"

★ PUFFS AND PATCHES ★

R. Martinelli F. Woods
S. Null F. Long

SOPHOMORE CLASS

OFFICERS

Rob Martinelli ..... *President*

Frank Woods ..... *Vice-President*

Frank Long ..... *Secretary*

Sonny Null ..... *Treasurer*

SOPHOMORE A

Row 1: Heller, Wright, Wilkerson, Fischer, Turner, Taylor, Busch, Dondley, Hinton, Seay, Sorrells.
Row 2: Forbes, Ergenbright, Taylor, Croy, Huff, Downey, Smith, Lowen, Agnor, Johnson.
Row 3: Matheny, Jones, Hall, Nelson, Cousar, Patterson, Kincaid, Psomadakis, McClung, Ingle, Eggleston
Row 4: Judy, Miller, Fultz, Carpenter, Keyt, Harrison, Smith, Knapton, Holt.
Row 5: Jamison, Oliver, Ashby, Johnson, Childs, Knighton, Watts, Brady, Brackens, Mays.
Row 6: Gordon, Jones, Bunch, Paxton, Null, Gilbert, Cook, Arrington, Gilbert, Hepler.

SOPHOMORE A

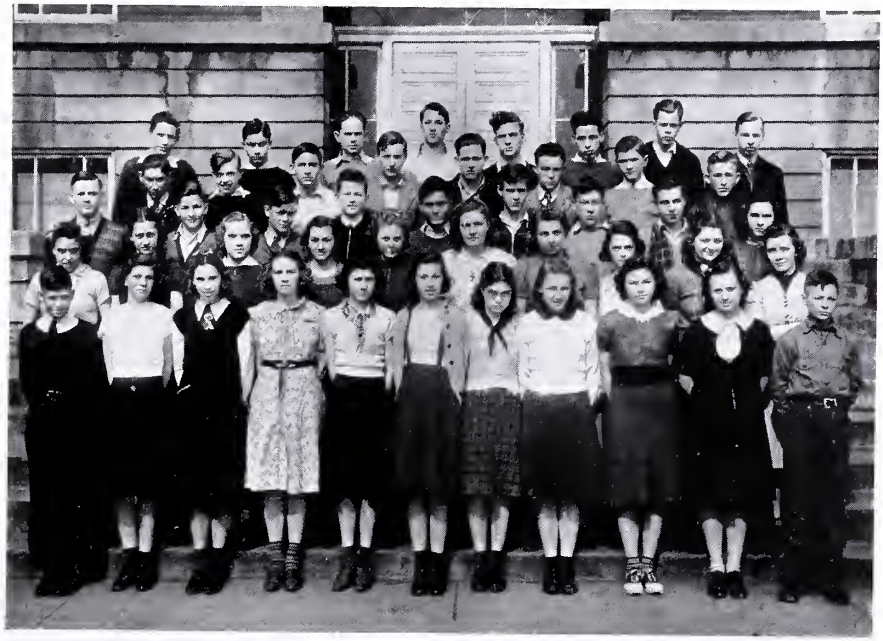
Row 1: Smith, Wheeler, Cryan, Knighton, Kelley, Paxton, Hattan, Dressler, Rodenizer, Burns, Sellers.

Row 2: Bennett, Plott, Bryant, Craft, Miller, Lemon, Cummings, Curtis, Wolfe, Lipps.

Row 3: Null, Reynolds, Wilmer, Wilcher, Martinelli, Long, Mathews, Plott, Arritt.

Row 4: Milton, McMullan, Arrington, Meeks, Whitlock, Payne, Bosserman, Boswell.

Row 5: Anderson, Guthrie, Arritt, DeHart, Rickett, Vick, Rohr, Ford.



Colors: Maroon and Gray

Flower: Red Rose

Motto: "We learn not for school but for life"

FACULTY ADVISERS

Miss Frances Hamm

Mr. L. C. Addington

Miss Nancy Groseclose

Mr. John Heretick

Miss Thelma Evans

SOPHOMORE B

★

Row 1: Hickman, Albert, Crawford, Catron, Burns, Garrison, Lockhart, Seay, Robertson, A. Humphries.

Row 2: Bartley, Fortune, L. Humphries, Hambrick, Mutispaugh, Agnor, Howard, Frazier, McCallister, Watts.

Row 3: Miller, Hall, Tyree, McDaniel, Ballengee, Arrington, Campbell, Hepler, Williams, A. Miller.

Row 4: McCormick, Arritt, Scott, Goff, McNeace, Smith, Bush, Vess.

Row 5: Ludington, Tigrett, Boerner, Hayslett, Hepler, Taylor.

Row 6: Harrison, Morgan, Snead, Gibson, Seal, Via.

"PUFFS AND PATCHES"

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Earl Rauch.....*Circulation Manager*

Jack Leitch.....*Advertising Manager*

Miss Olivia Wheeler....*Faculty Adviser*

Miss Kathryn Miller....*Faculty Adviser*

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Betty Black
Henry Burns
Margaret Burns
Kent Evans
Mary Ellen Hepler
Mary Frances Hite
Mary Virginia Hodges
Billy Hudson
Laura Jordan
Emma Jane Karnes
Jack Leitch
Frances Loving
Kathryn Mills
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Natalie Rooklin
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Frank Woods

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Harold Dillon
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Richard Harrison
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Kenneth Keifer
Elizabeth Kelley
Josephine Kessinger
Jane Knapton
Billy Lambert
Edward Libby
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Mary Carol McCaleb
Mary Jo McClung
Nellie Myers
Margaret O'Ferrell
Shirley Overholt
Rosemary Paxton
Norman Seldomridge
Katherine Simpson
Joycelyn Spencer
Mabel Stephenson
John Vail
Mary Evelyn Vance

AUDITORIUM CLUB

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John Dawson.....*Vice-President*
Frank Boerner.....*Secretary*
A. J. Alfred.....*Treasurer*
Mr. James Orser.....*Faculty Adviser*

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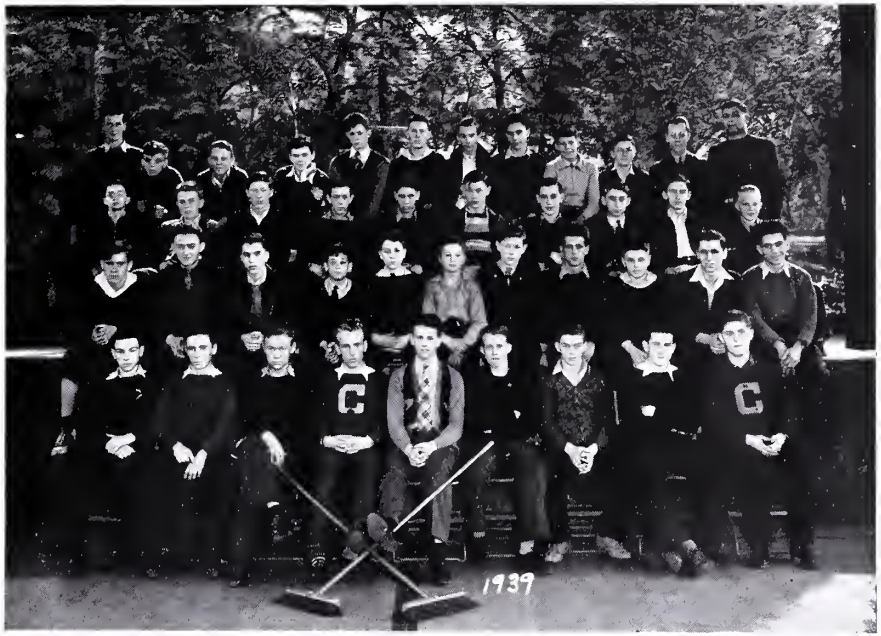
Raymond Fultz.....*Sergeant-at-Arms*



MEMBERS

A. J. Alfred
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Emmett Conner
Myron Cravello
Paul Crizer
John Dawson
Stewart Dodd
Ernest Drumheller
Calvine Duncan
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Earl Gordon
Edwin Humphries
Russell Jamison
Jimmy Jones
Junior Kelly
Clarence King
Buddy Knighton
Adna Leffel
Melvin Lipps
Robert McAllister
Leon Middleton
Harold Miller
Eugene Miller
George Null
Sidney Oliver
Buster Paxton
Albert Smith
Woodrow Smith
Douglas Taylor
Billy Wickline
Frank Wickline
Marvin Wickline
Joe Wilmer

INFIRMARY STAFF

Row 1: Alma McCallister, Pearle Scott, Charlotte Sexton, Rosemary Lockhart.

Row 2: Nelda Bess, Lena Humphries, Virginia Humphries, Alma Humphries.

Row 3: Dorothy Hill, Josephine Bosserman, Melba Tucker, Hilda Reed, Joyce Tyree.

Pearle Scott ..... *President*

Charlotte Sexton ..... *Vice-President*

Alma McCallister ..... *Secretary-Treasurer*

Rosemary Lockhart ..... *Reporter*

Miss Florence Holsworth ..... *Adviser*

THURSDAY

"THURSDAY'S CHILD HAS FAR TO GO"

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D. Taylor C. Sexton
C. Knighton J. Loving

FRESHMAN CLASS

OFFICERS

Douglas Taylor ..... *President*

Jimmy Loving ..... *Vice-President*

Charlotte Sexton ..... *Secretary*

Connie Knighton ..... *Treasurer*

FRESHMAN A

Row 1: McAllister, Huddlestun, Morris, Taylor, Byer, La Rue, K. Armstrong, Stone, Simmons, Brewster, Rice.

Row 2: Pugh, Campbell, Riddle, Carnell, Penn, Entsminger, Leffel, Gibson, Wyatt, Nicely.

Row 3: Wheeler, Williams, Craft, Weiford, Sexton, Boyer, J. Weiford, Dawson, Bouchard, Hudson, Dodd.

Row 4: Cravello, Bartley, Myers, Forbes, Wickline, Dame, House, Miller, Fitzgerald.

Row 5: McCorkle, Shorter, Davis, Murphy, Bazzrea, Linkenhoker, Harrison, Work, Powell.

Row 6: Sibold, Nicely, Pearson, Schuder, Wirt, Thacker.

FRESHMAN A

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FACULTY ADVISERS

Mr. James Grainger

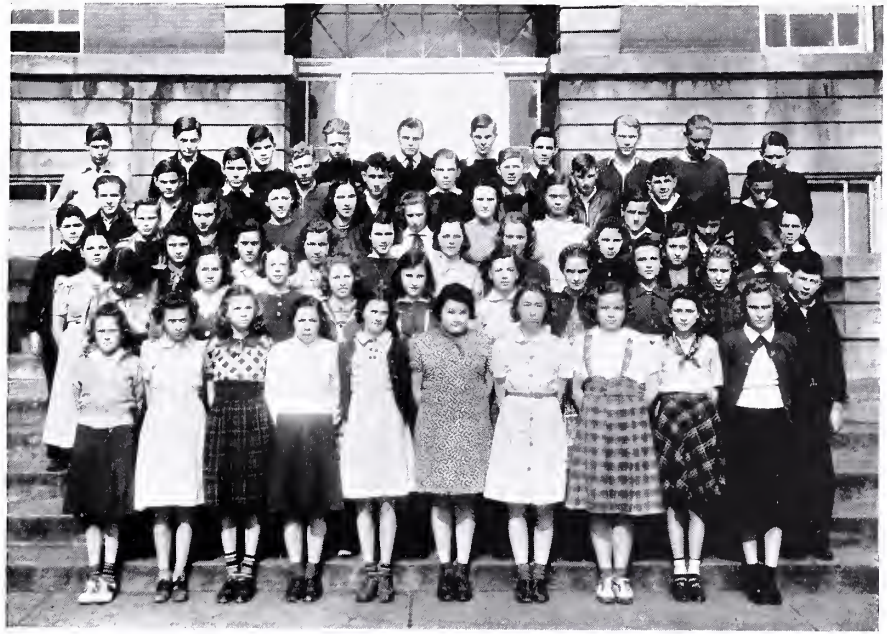
Miss Meriel McAllister

Mr. Alderson Propps

Miss Virginia Wiley

Miss Emilie Holladay

Row 1: Hylton, Paitsel, Wright, Lee, Carpenter, Swift, Eubank, Myers, Tomblin, Clemens.
Row 2: Plott, Clemens, Newman, Burr, Knighton, Topham, Polland, Lawrence, Baldwin, Crizer.
Row 3: Smith, Van Horn, Long, Harlow, Linten, Curtis, Humphries, Wolf, Humphries, Watkins.
Row 4: Loving, Gilbert, Wallace, Jones, Huffman, Crawford, M. Crawford, Upton, Wickline, Craighead, Cover.
Row 5: Humphries, Hanks, Jennings, Basham, Whitlock, Duncan, Jones, Matheny, McAllister, Johnson.
Row 6: Taylor, Fix, Carter, Williams, Davidson, McMillian, Moore, Clarke, Crawford, McCaleb.



FRESHMAN B

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Row 1: Hodges, Counts, Gaylor, Winn, Vance, Burton, Alfred, Terry, Howard, V. Gaylor, Shearin, Arritt.
Row 2: Branch, Matheny, A. Ailstock, Hardy, Biggs, Steffey, Sartain, Reyns, Goodwin, Goff, Bunch.
Row 3: Persinger, Johnson, Wolfe, Jordan, Williams, Martin, Cash, Colley, Plott, Nicely, Rea, Agnor.
Row 4: Montgomery, Brown, Hepler, Baker, Leitch, Schuder, Welcher, Hall, Seay.
Row 5: Douglas, Holcomb, Arehart, Weaver, Ailstock, Campbell, Tucker, Dale, Woodson, Wright.
Row 6: Rose, Whitesell, Hylton, Libby, Plott, Boerner, Wilmer, Withrow, Simpson.
Row 7: Brown, Rumsey, Campbell, Conner, Griffith, Meadows, Gibson, Gabbert, Deacon East.
Row 8: Lockridge, McDonald, Underwood, Seager, Burkholder, Milton, Smith, Loving.
Row 9: Cook, Reyns, Rea, Johnson, Crawford, Guth, Driscoll.

HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

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OFFICERS

Mary Frances Topham.....*President*

Madeline Wolf .....*Vice-President*

Pearl Thomas .....*Secretary*

Mary Clement.....*Treasurer*

Miss Veta Draper.....*Faculty Adviser*

Agnor
Baldwin
Clement
Crawford
Dressler
Eubank
Forbes
Harlow
Hill
Hilton
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Wolfe

DRAMATIC CLUB

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B. Jennings S. Watkins M. Swift S. Phillips G. Arritt

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"The play is the thing"

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Irene Stull ..... *Vice-President*

Mary W. Overholt ..... *Secretary*

Robert Keyt ..... *Treasurer*

Miss Virginia Wiley ..... *Faculty Adviser*

MONOGRAM CLUB INITIATION

Members initiated: B. Robinson, football; J. Dawson, football; K. Childs, football; D. Trainer, boxing; M. Gilbert, football; S. Null, football; R. Brown, baseball; J. Lee, boxing; F. Woods, football; J. Terry, football, boxing; E. Gibson, boxing; E. Libby, boxing; Jim Hodges, basketball; C. Sellers, boxing; J. Whitehead, boxing; Ace Thomas, basketball; R. Fultz, boxing; D. Sprouse, boxing; E. Curtis, baseball; L. Boerner, football; R. Carter, football; H. Keyt, football, basketball; W. Harmon, boxing; M. Bartley, basketball

"WHEN THEY WERE YOUNG"

(Names on Page 75)

FRIDAY

"FRIDAY'S CHILD IS 'TAKING' AND GIVING"

COACHING STAFF

Mr. Propps, Miss Evans, Miss Trimble, Miss McConnaughey, Mr. Doyle.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

		We	*They*
Marlinton	September 23	7	0
Staunton	October 7	6	18
Greenbrier	October 15	18	6
Christiansburg	October 21	20	0
Central High	October 28	20	0
Valley High	November 4	13	6
Jefferson High	November 11	21	7
Harrisonburg	November 18	7	10
Clifton Forge	November 25	0	0

COUGARS

Row 1: R. Carter, lg; R. Keyser, lg; R. Keyt, c; W. Boerner, qb; H. Keyt, hb; B. Robinson, re; J. Dawson, re; J. Reardon, qb; A. Alfred, re.

Row 2: J. Via, le; H. Baker, hb; M. Via, g; Pete Harding, c; R. Thomas, hb; C. Lockridge, hb; F. Boerner, rg; B. Stull, lg; Jimmy Hodges, c.

Row 3: E. Burch, lg; K. Childs, hb; D. Trainer, g; B. Fitzgerald, hb; L. Snead, hb; S. Null, hb; J. Phillips, qb; L. Boerner, fb; C. Richard, rt.

Row 4: Jack Hodges, c; Bob Holloman, qb; F. Woods, rg; J. Mays, g; E. Gibson, e; R. Barr, rg; M. Gilbert, le.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Row 1: Overholt, Bartley, Holt, Sites, Ailstock, Eubank, Tucker.

Row 2: Arrington, Kincaid, Scott, Cummings, Leffel, Cook.

Row 3: Miss Evans, Kelley, D. Plott, Paxton, R. Plott, Long, Wheeler, Kington, Maupin, Miss Trimble.

Row 4: Miss McConnaughey, Lemon.

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SCHEDULE

		We	*They*
Harrisonburg	Jan. 10	9	47
Clifton Forge	Jan. 13	42	31
Valley High	Jan. 27	21	46
Central High	Feb. 1	32	29
Clifton Forge	Feb. 10	23	38
Central High	Feb. 22	25	29
Harrisonburg	Feb. 24	15	25
Valley High	Mar. 1	35	58

FIRST TEAM

Forwards: Cook, Scott (Captain)

Centers: Tucker, Leffel

Guards: Kincaid, Cummings

BOYS' BASKETBALL

Row 1: Ward, Long

Row 2: Sartain, Fitzgerald, Thomas, Keyt, Lockridge, Hodges.

Row 3: Boerner, Dawson, Hardy, Hodges, Holloman, Mr. Propps.

SCHEDULE

		We	They
Renick	Jan. 6	13	43
Harrisonburg	Jan. 10	24	25
Clifton Forge	Jan. 13	12	18
G. M. S.	Jan. 23	24	53
Lexington	Jan. 25	8	24
Valley High	Jan. 27	21	23
Central High	Jan. 30	24	19
Staunton	Feb. 1	20	36
Hazelwood	Feb. 3	33	45
White Sulphur	Feb. 4	5	31
Renick	Feb. 7	20	25
Lexington	Feb. 9	27	34
Clifton Forge	Feb. 10	24	32
Staunton	Feb. 14	18	61
Central High	Feb. 22	52	7
Harrisonburg	Feb. 24	26	31
G. M. S.	Feb. 28	23	35
Valley High	Mar. 3	28	16

★ THIRTY • NINE ★

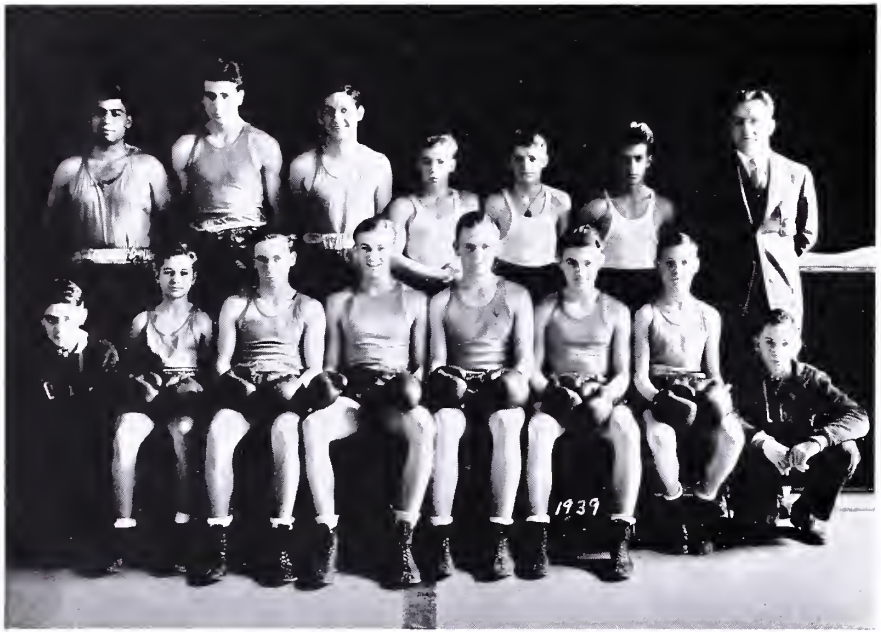
BOXING

SCHEDULE

S. M. A.	6½	Jan. 21	There	Miller	6	Feb. 24	There
Covington	2½			Covington	5		
Central	3	Feb. 9	Here	Central	4	Mar. 3	There
Covington	4			Covington	3		
A. M. A.	6	Feb. 18	Here				
Covington	4						

South Atlantic Tournament.....A. M. A.

Row 1: Griffith, Sellers, Baker, Holloman, Trainer, Shephard, Whitehead, Wilhelm.
Row 2: Terry, Robinson, Libby, Lee, Sprouse, Wickline, Mr. Doyle.



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J. Lee	110 lbs.
R. Keyser	135 lbs.
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H. Bennett	145 lbs.
H. Baker	127 lbs
E. Bearly	70 lbs.
R. Fultz	110 lbs.
M. Cravello	80 lbs.
E. Libby	155 lbs.
C. Sellers	90 lbs.
E. Shephard	110 lbs.
D. Sprouse	100 lbs.
D. Trainer	145 lbs.
J. Whitehead	100 lbs.
B. Whitehead	80 lbs.
B. Robinson	175 lbs.
B. Wickline	110 lbs.
E. Gibson	127 lbs.
R. Smith	135 lbs.

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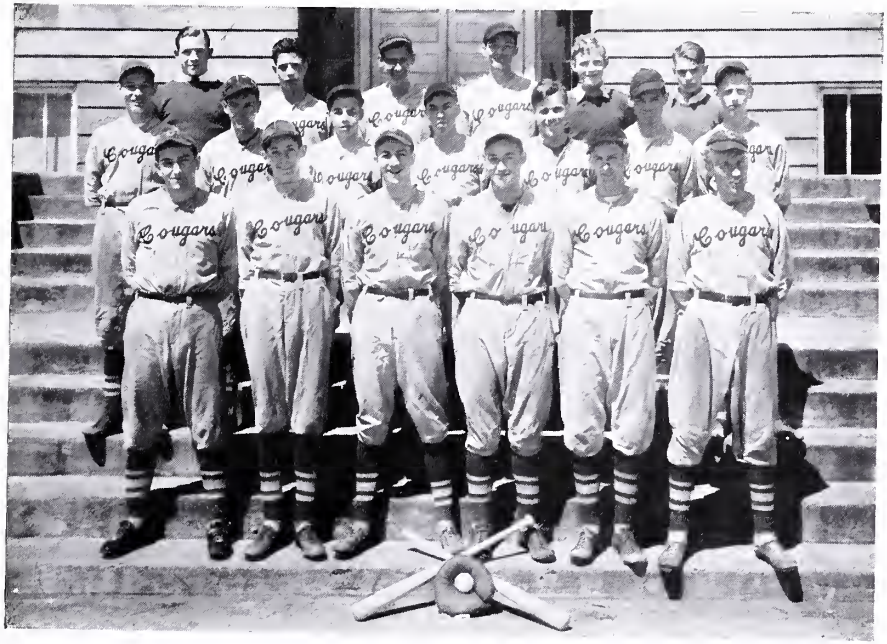
Row 2: Ward, Smith, Lee, Knighton, Driscoll, Curtis, Snead.

Row 3: Boerner, Byer, Thomas, Gibson, Hilton, Griffith.



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J. Dawson	A. Hepler
B. Holloman	J. Lee
J. Via	B. Driscoll
R. Thomas	J. Byers
A. J. Alfred	P. Hilton
L. Ward	Bill Knighton
E. Gibson	Buddy Knighton
B. Stull	J. Whitehead
C. Hanks	F. Wood
P. Hanks	T. Persinger
W. Boerner	W. Snead

W. Smith

SCHEDULE

April 4	Buena Vista	Here
April 11	Jefferson High	Here
April 14	Central	Here
April 15	Greenbrier	There
April 20	Clifton	Here
April 21	Renick	There
April 25	Greenbrier	Here
April 28	Clifton	Here
May 2	Buena Vista	Here
May 9	Renick	Here
May 13	Jefferson High	There

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SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

In September, 1935, a group of children, who had far to go, entered Covington High School. There were approximately one hundred fifty of us. We were put into three home rooms. All of the teachers we had that year have entered other fields of endeavor except Miss Kathryn Miller and Mr. Allan Barnwell who are yet faithful to us.

The year beginning in September, 1936, saw us advance to the classification of sophomore and then we were like "Wednesday's child'—"full of woe"—because in spite of our wonderful times in Miss Browder's (Mrs. Reese) class we just couldn't remember the parts of a grasshopper's body. We also had difficulty in learning rhyme schemes which Miss Thomas so patiently tried to teach us. The highlight of our second year was marked by the spring sophomore-senior party.

When we began our junior year as "Thursday's children," from all indications, visitors would have thought we lacked intellectual ability but the main reason was probably some erudite additions to the faculty. But who could dislike a class taught by the jovial Mr. Richard Shrum or by the gentleman who arrived munching a banana and wearing glasses, raincoat and derby? We shall not soon forget Mr. James William Orser nor his faithful companion, Miss Frances Hamm, with her expressive brown eyes.

For the Latin students demerits increased each day, until Miss Miriam Irby decided to become Mrs. Peden and 'le tres petit professeur' Mr. John S. Heretick was chosen to take her place.

The crowning event of 1938 was the Junior-Senior Prom which everyone enjoyed because this year the first mid-term commencement with seventeen graduates was held and we enjoyed two parties instead of one.

Swiftly the summer months were gone and we, a class of eighty-four dignified members, returned to school for the highlight year of our school career. We were upset to learn that algebra and Trig were not to be taught by our math teacher of the year before, who was fast learning to become Dr. Shrum. But in some way the appearance of Mademoiselle McAllister, whom we all learned to love, made up for our loss because by his paying her several visits we had them both. Mr. Alderson Propps also became a member of the faculty and with Mr. Robert Doyle, whom he assisted, the teams carried off many honors for which we shall always be proud.

Covington High School's long-awaited band was finally organized under the direction of Mr. James M. Grainger. The progress which was made compensated us for the many hours of suffering which the student body had to undergo while we listened to "Mary Had a Little Lamb."

Our graduation year marked the fourth publication of the renewed PUFFS AND PATCHES, our annual. The senior class was well represented on the staff. Along with *The Announcer* staff we were made proud of the awards received on publications in the Southern Interscholastic Press Association meeting which the staffs attended in Lexington.

The trip to the New York Fair loomed largest on the horizon of the seniors and the entire class pitched in to make it possible to have a one hundred per cent attendance at the fair.

Then in a short time—for four years seems a brief period—we, as "fair-faced children" were not lamenting but pressing still towards the future. In our last few weeks we represented the generous "Friday child" by trying to give to C. H. S. pleasant memories of us and by storing up happy ones to take with us.

With the awarding of our commencement honors we became eighty-four "Sabbath children"—they who are fair and wise and good and gay. Now the gaiety, good times, school work and school activities are stored in our chest of most pleasant memories and we are ready to go out into the world working and living according to the standards which are upheld in Covington High School.

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Names	*Pessimist*	*Statistician*	*Optimist*
M. Ailstock	Starts dancing school	Sweet	Marries a preacher
A. Alfred	Red face sets hair on fire	Best blusher	Dyes hair black
C. Arrington	Climbs tree with bus	Grease monkey	Gets himself a country girl
L. Ballengee	Fails to become Mr. Orser's secretary	Most industrious	Becomes a private secretary
H. Barr	Turns he-man	Jitterbugger	Wins jitterbug contest
D. Bartley	Gets shorter	Shortest	School teacher
N. Bess	Starts rooming house for college boys	Best "all around"	Gets that girlish figure
B. Black	Gets more bashful	Sorta bashful	Special nurse
W. Boerner	Breaks jug	Oh! mamma, a football Hero	Coaches at C. F. H. S.
J. Bosserman	Gets scholarship to Western-State	Tops in giggling	School teacher
A. Boswell	Loses poetic knowledge	Best poet	Famous poet
R. Brackens	Gets stuck in door	Largest in diameter	Grocery store manager
R. Brown	Drowns while fixing bathtub	Plumber man	Manages N. Y. Yankees
M. Burns	Suddenly becomes stuck-up	Scholar and friend	Becomes C. H. S. Librarian
C. Byer	Takes paint off face	Like a picture (painted)	Takes over candy counter at Fishman's
H. Carpenter	Breaks leg on bowling alley	Strike! Bowler	Buys Honey Dew
H. Carter	Talks incessantly	A miracle. Quiet!	School teacher
P. Carter	Fails as hair dresser	Beautician	Successor to Elizabeth Arden
H. Crawford	Grows tall	Tiny Tim	Gets job as strong man with circus
E. Curtis	Gets married	Another quiet girl	Buys "Covington-Virginian'
Jr. Curtis	Gets heart payne	Best ticket salesman	Nurse
N. Cox	Gets jaw broken wooing boxer	Little "Shepherd" of Kingdom Come	Teaches school with a dozen degrees
B. Deacon	Goes on diet	Most blubber	Teaches college algebra at Low Moor High
H. Dillon	Falls down elevator shaft at Rose's	Blondie	Manager Rose's 5 and 10c store
E. Duncan	Suspenders break—loses reputation	Fancy Typist	Big League baseball player
D. Ergenbright	Goes into military training	Simple and sweet	Aviatrix
N. Eubank	Falls off horse	Cowgirl	Buys a ranch
G. Hanks	Holds Mr. Curfman's desk down for life	Best office girl	Mr. Curfman's private secretary
B. Harter	Twists in two	Champion eye-roller	Quiet housewife
T. Helmintoller	Can't find beau	Calmest	Missionary
A. Hepler	Forgets Clifton	Dream girl	Clerk for Leggett's
M. Hite	Never learns Pythagorean Theory	Most cooperative	School teacher
R. Holloman	Has to be shot because of broken leg	Versatile athlete	Millionaire
J. Hodges	Joins circus	He reaches the sky	Local boy makes good, "All American"
M. Hodges	Gets caught shoplifting jewelry	Most attractive	Chorus girl
B. Hudson	Loses his Sites	Jack Spratt	Joins battery D
H. Humphries	Falls off balcony (Juliet)	Juliet! Woo woo woo	Must we say? (Ask Bootsie)
J. Huff	Becomes old maid	Librarian	Nurse
L. Jordan	Becomes chauffeur	Craziest	5 and 10c clerk
E. Karnes	Forgotten lady	Quite a jitterbugger	One chorus girl
K. Keifer	Turns Don Juan	Lambeth Walk	Chemistry teacher
H. Keyt	Woman hater	Advance Algebra "genius"	Moves to Clifton Forge

SENIORS

Names	*Pessimist*	*Statistician*	*Optimist*
Robert Keyser	Gets cauliflower ears	Shame, Cradle robber	Becomes "Dopey" in "Snow White" show
H. King	Starts woo pitching school	Party thrower	Housewife and mother
L. Knick	Fails as a painter after being apprentice	Drug store cowgirl	Teaches Home Economics
J. Leitch	Pockets Julian R.'s cash register	Ten o'clock scholar	Goes to Congress
E. Libby	Falls off porch into Dunlap Creek	Blackest blue eyes	Buys a delicatessen store
R. Lockard	Moves further back in the country	Biggest flirt	Chorus girl
J. Lockart	Joins Zeke Manners' Hillbilly gang	Always in a sunny mood	Radio announcer
R. Lockhart	Joins George Burns troupe (Gracie)	Good student	Wife and mother
H. Lockridge	Both arches fall	Best dancer	Actress
Frances Loving	Lady undertaker	Friendly	Becomes lady undertaker
P. Loving	Chased out of Clifton Forge	Sucker	Play boy
P. Martinelli	Forest ranger (Hi-yo-silver)	The best scholar	Principal at Dunlap
A. McCallister	Fails as a secretary	Tomboy	Nurses O. Bowers back into shape
H. McDonald	Runs out of lipstick	Study hall skipper	"Ole Macdonal" buys a farm, and family
L. Menefee	Turns communist	Most demure	Twister in Rayon plant
K. Mills	Camps on river bank	Can she cook? Yes, sir	5 and 10c clerk
W. Myers	Becomes more pigeon-toed	Parlez-vous Francais?	Motorcycle rider
C. Nicely	Lives on Hill	The funny old Hills	Gets married class night
A. Ordel	Loses northern accent	No girl man	Cut Rate manager
M. O'Ferrell	Wrecks Buick	A most welcome visitor	Settles down in country with "Mooky"
P. Osburn	Goes back to the "Sticks"	Unnatural accent	Fan dancer
A. Paxton	Drops nitro-glycerin on toe	Guidance student	CYMO specialists
H. Pfadt	Loses giggling ability	Biggest sucker	Bubble dancer
E. Rauch	Becomes friendly with Wills St.	Nuttiest	Newspaper reporter
Geraline Reyns	Housewife instead of clerk	Stenographer	Housewife
L. Reynolds	Takes water instead of poison	Hazel's Romeo	Takes over printing office
H. Rhodes	Gets tongue split	Pool shark	Buys a pool room
N. Rooklin	Turns blonde	Only redhead in class	Peroxides her hair to become a glamour girl
J. Sarver	Becomes a Hick	Neatest	5 and 10c candy girl
C. Saylor	Gets bald headed	"Bing" Saylor	Becomes Martinelli's understudy
P. Scott	Organizes girls' football team	Best athlete	Coaches basketball
L. Shawver	Locks her heart	Is she cute? Oh me, oh my	Decides two can live cheaper than one
E. Shiflett	Swallows tongue translating Latin	Ego amo te	Teacher
A. Snead	Talks for a change	Star bookkeeper	Plays college football
K. Simpson	Writes song "Great striped Bird"	Typical stenographer	Sunday School teacher
J. Spencer	Still a sucker	Boy crazy	Principal at Rivermont
L. Swift	Forgets how to jitterbug	Just a happy jitterbug	Jitterbug teacher
J. Terry	Forgets how to laugh	Happy-go-lucky	Fights Tony Galento
J. Tyree	Freak in circus	Biggest gossip	Actress
V. Vick	Catches Leitch on dance floor	Jack's her only star	Housewife
H. Wilhelm	Second Tuffy	Best manager	Becomes Mr. Doyle's right hand man
F. Witt	Gets dish pan hands	Soda jerker	Nurse

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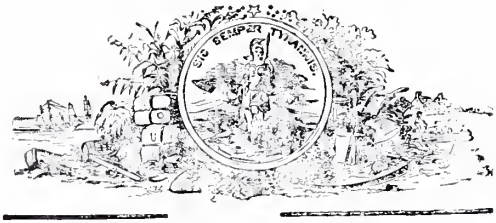

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THE FUTURE OF THE CLASS OF "39" AS SEEN IN THE CRYSTAL BALL

The Scene: The booth of a fortune teller.

The Atmosphere: Dark and gloomy.

There is silence; the Class Prophet speaks in a low voice. "I have communed with the Spirits. At last, I can see the members of your class in 1949.

"I see an airport. There is a plane on the field. The pilot is A. J. Alfred taking off for a flight around the world. On the other side of the field another plane is being made ready for a flight. It is a large transport plane manned by Allen Paxton and Charles Arrington. With them is air-hostess Helen Pfadt.

"Now I see the new Covington High School. Let us look in this school and see the teachers who were members of the class of "39". Pete Loving is the instructor in Industrial Arts. Joycelyn Spencer is teaching English. Anita Boswell is teaching commercial subjects. Jeanette Huff is the Librarian. Ralph Brackens is the head instructor in the Science department. He is assisted by Herbert Crawford.

"The Crystal Ball now reveals a bowling alley. A large crowd is gathered around one person. It's Hunter Carpenter, who has just won the title of World's Bowling Champion. With him is Nancy Cox. She is the champion woman bowler of Alleghany County. Champion Carpenter is about to defend his crown against Everette Duncan.

"What is this I now see the crystal? It's a large dance hall. There is a dance. The class of "39" is having a reunion. The swing band is under the direction of Arthur Ordel. A great many celebrities are attending the dance. I see Earl Rauch, the king of the stock exchange. He is accompanied by his private secretary, Lucy Bell Shawver. There is Clyde Saylor, the radio crooner. With him is Ruth Lockard, one of the world's greatest dramatic actresses. Standing behind them is Jack Hodges and Harold Keyt. Both are professional basketball players. There is Joe Terry, the radio comedian. He is talking to Ed Libby, who is the widely known radio and newspaper commentator on foreign affairs. Walter Boerner and Bob Holloman are just entering the hall. They are athletic directors at the University of Virginia. With them are John

Lockhart, Kenneth Keifer, and Junior Curtis, famous scientists, who have devoted their lives to the betterment of mankind. Among the happy gatherings I see two married couples and three old maids. The married couples are Lawrence Reynolds and the former Hazel Humphries, and Billy Deacon and the former Laura Jordan. The old maids are Marjorie Ailstock, Helen Carter, and Elnora Curtis.

"The dance hall fades away and a hospital comes into view. I see the operating room where an operation is being performed. The doctor is Billy Hudson. He is assisted by nurses Margaret Burns, Mary Frances Hite, and Helen McDonald.

"The Crystal Ball now reveals a pool room. A game is being played between Henry Rhodes and a pool shark. I fear the shark will be defeated. Henry owns the pool room and has been very successful with it for several years.

"As my mind goes deeper into the fourth dimension, I see a night club. It is owned and operated by Frank Boerner. Frank has moved to Callahan where his club is located. He says that by living there he can combine business and pleasure."

With this last prophetic observation the crystal ball clouds and remains dark. The voice of the prophet ceases for a moment and then he speaks again:

"That will be one dollar. Put it in the dish on the table as you go out."

JACK LEITCH, *Class Prophet.*

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the departing Seniors of C. H. S. in the City of Covington, in the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-nine, being in sound mind (?) and good health (those of us who didn't get the flu) do will and ordain that this be published as our last will and testament.

ITEM I: To our understanding principal, Captain Walter R. Curfman, we leave the wish that the succeeding classes will hold him in as high esteem as we have during our four year stay.

ITEM II: To Mr. James Orser, because of his ability as a singer (of the old school) we leave a copy of the "The Great Speckled Bird," with the understanding that he is not to sing it to his economics or civics classes.

ITEM III: To Sonny Null and Frances Kincaid we leave the title "Romeo and Juliet" for 1940.

ITEM IV: To Russell "Ace" Thomas we leave the horse of all horses, "Silver," along with the request that he not ride him around the hills near Fairlawn.

ITEM V: To Mr. James Moses (Benny) Grainger we leave a band of a hundred strong to play "Mary Had A Little Lamb" or "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star" at the Covington-Clifton game next year (providing he isn't snowed in).

ITEM VI: To all of the weaker sex of good old C. H. S. we leave Bill (Casanova) Robinson and his good looks with the hope that he doesn't break any hearts.

ITEM VII: To Harold Bennett we leave the football squad of 1940 and the knowledge that we the senior class of "39" will be back of them as they tackle their tough schedule next year.

ITEM VIII: To Miss Helen Thomas we leave an "Announcer" staff that will get the paper out on time and not two weeks later.

ITEM IX: To Freddie (Flash) Allison we leave a year's subscription to *Esquire* so that he may keep up with the latest fashions. If he must wear all those flashy clothes, we hope that he will wear them correctly.

ITEM X: To Sam Brackens we leave a punch drunk (?) memory of the New Year's Eve party at Kessingers.

ITEM XI: To Coach Robert F. Doyle, Director of Athletics, we leave a fine bunch of athletes to carry on all the traditions of C. H. S. in a manner of which we may all be proud.

ITEM XII: To Shirley Overholt we leave the hall back of the auditorium so that she and all of her little friends may flirt with those big, handsome basketball boys without fear of interruption from Mr. Curfman.

ITEM XIII: To Jimmy Loving we leave Frances' and Pete's ability to make excuses for being late every morning.

ITEM XIV: To Rob Martinelli we leave his brother Pete's versatility with the hope that he will become senior class president and hold the job as Pete has done.

ITEM XV: To the Federal Bureau of Investigation we leave Caryle (G. Man) McCaleb. Let him "bring 'em back alive."

ITEM XVI: To Duck (Ugly) Sprouse we leave the captainship of next year's Military Club. After Duck becomes captain of Battery D he should be able to handle the boys.

ITEM XVII: To Billy Fitzgerald we leave a coin so that he and Sonny Null may match for the hand of Helen Cash.

ITEM XVIII: Last but not least we leave to next year's senior class something which we have been trying to get for a year now without success—senior privileges.

In witness whereof, we, the Class of 1939, the testators have to this, our Last Will and Testament, set our hand and seal this thirtieth day of May.

ED LIBBY, *Class Testator.*

SUNDAY

"BUT THE CHILD THAT IS BORN ON THE SABBATH
DAY IS FAIR AND WISE AND GOOD
AND GAY"

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WHO'S WHO

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BOB HOLLOMAN

Most Popular, Best Athlete

HILDA LOCKRIDGE

Most Popular

JUANITA BRACKENS

Best Looking

BILL ROBINSON

Best Looking

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CLARENCE LOCKRIDGE

Most Original

NANCY COX

Most Original, Most Representative Student

MARGARET BURNS

Best Scholar

PETE MARTINELLI

Best Scholar, Most Representative Student

WHO'S WHO

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JOE TERRY

Sunniest Disposition, Friendliest, Most Absent-Minded

PHYLLIS BURNS

Sunniest Disposition, Friendliest

HAZEL HUMPHRIES

Juliet

LAWRENCE REYNOLDS

Romeo

★ ★ ★

PETE LOVING

Biggest Sucker

JANE McCORMICK

Biggest Sucker

AGNES ALBERT

Most Absent-Minded

PEARLE SCOTT

Best Athlete

THE CAST

Clyde Saylor
John Lockhart
Pete Loving
Alma McAllister
Nelda Bess
Natalie Rooklin

"SPRING FEVER"

Presented by

THE SENIOR CLASS

Directed by

MISS VIRGINIA WILEY

THE CAST

Pearl Osborn
Edward Libby
Nancy Cox
Ruth Lockard
Pete Martinelli
Billy Hudson

COVINGTON HIGH SCHOOL MINSTREL

FEBRUARY 16TH AND 17TH

Directed by

Mr. W. R. Curfman and Mrs. R. K. Fleshman

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